NOTICE OF READOPTION

INTERESTED PERSONS

The Department of Corrections provides notices of rulemaking in the New Jersey Register (N.J.R.), a semi-monthly official publication of the Office of Administrative Law which contains all State agency rule proposals and adoptions. The following language regarding a notice to effect the readoption of rules is quoted from N.J.S.A. 52:14B-5.1.c(1):

[I]n the case of a proposed readoption without changes to the existing rule, or a proposed readoption with technical changes as approved by the Office of Administrative Law, an agency may continue in effect an expiring rule for a seven-year period by filing a public notice with the Office of Administrative Law for publication in the New Jersey Register at least 30 days prior to the expiration date of the rule. The notice pursuant to this paragraph shall include the citation for the rule, a general description of the rule, the specific legal authority under which the rule is authorized, and the new expiration date of the rule. The notice pursuant to this paragraph shall be effective upon filing with the Office of Administrative Law.

CORRECTIONS
THE COMMISSIONER
Notice of Readoption
Inmate Orientation and Handbook
Readoption: N.J.A.C. 10A:8

Authority: N.J.S.A. 30:1B-6, 30:1B-10, and 30:4-8.5.

Authorized By: Gary M. Lanigan, Commissioner, Department of Corrections.

Effective Date: June 24, 2014. New Expiration Date: June 24, 2021.

Take notice that pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:14B-5.1, N.J.A.C. 10A:8, Inmate Orientation and Handbook, is readopted and shall continue in effect for a seven-year period. The rules had been scheduled to expire on July 24, 2014. The Department of Corrections has reviewed these rules and has determined that the rules should be readopted because they are necessary, reasonable, and proper for the purpose for which they were originally promulgated. In accordance with N.J.S.A. 52:14B-5.1.c(1), timely filing of this notice extended the expiration date of the chapter seven years from the date of filing.

The Inmate Orientation and Handbook rules at N.J.A.C. 10A:8 establish provisions for informing inmates about the rules, procedures, units, services, and programs of the correctional facility, and establish provisions for publishing correctional facility Inmate Handbooks. The Inmate Orientation and Handbook rules provide guidance for the content and scheduling of inmate orientation sessions and for the content and

dissemination of correctional facility and unit-specific Inmate Handbooks.